

Welcome to the WESCT October 2021 newsletter.

As locals, the WESCT Trustees are proud to own The Lines Company (TLC) on behalf of you, its customers—helping to ensure benefits like discounts on your bills and jobs for locals can continue to help people in our community.

News

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Bella Takiari-Brame. New Chair of the TLC Board

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Congratulations to Bella Takiari-Brame on her appointment as chair of the TLC Board.

Bella, a current director on the TLC Board, steps into the position vacated by Mark Darrow, who served as board chair for five years. Bella is of Ngāti Maniapoto descent and is a Chartered Accountant with a number of years of experience in the energy sector and governance. We look forward to continuing to work with Bella in her new position.

WESCT Annual Meeting — Change of Venue to Les Munro Centre

Subject to our COVID-19 lockdown status, it's not long now until the WESCT Annual Meeting — we'd love to see you at the Les Munro Centre, 8 King Street East, Te Kūiti, on Tuesday 19 October at 6pm.

If we go back down to level 2, the meeting will proceed with social distancing measures in place.

If we stay in level 3, then we will need to postpone again. The evening will cover the highlights of The Lines Company's recent performance and other current issues, with the opportunity for questions and discussion.

Inspiring Local Minds Scholarships

WESCT Trustee Cathy Prendergast was recently involved in the selection panel for TLC's Inspiring Local Minds Scholarships, which are awarded to some exceptional local school leavers.

WESCT is proud to support the scholarship programme, which assists young people in pursuing education or trade training and supports them to eventually bring their skills and qualifications back into the King Country and make a positive contribution to our region.



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